

## Treatment/Recovery Programs -- Participant Demographics

Chapter 2 describes the population of 2003-04 Fiscal Year program participants by race/ethnicity, gender, and special target groups, such as homeless individuals, pregnant women, youth under 21 years of age, and needle users.

Several salient points in this chapter are:

### Treatment/Recovery Program Participants

- ◆ The overall Los Angeles County Alcohol and Drug Treatment/Recovery Program served a total of 53,892 participants who accounted for 67,811 admissions. [Table 2.1]
- ◆ Three racial/ethnic groups represented 94% of the total participant population (Latino, 40.2%; White, 28.9%; and Black/African American, 24.8%). [Table 2.1]
- ◆ Half (50.5%) of the participants were between 25 and 44 years of age. Most (78.8%) of the participants reported completing 9 to 12 years of education. [Table 2.1]
- ◆ At admission, 82.1% of participants reported they were unemployed. Unemployment was high for both males (78.7%) and females (89.0%). [Table 2.1]
- ◆ Approximately, 1 out of every 5 (18.8%) participants reported being homeless. The percentage of homeless participants was similar for both male (18.3%) and female (19.9%) participants. [Table 2.1]
- ◆ The majority (95.4%) of the participants reported their primary drug problem as methamphetamine (21.2%), alcohol (21.1%), cocaine/crack (19.5%), heroin (17.0%), or marijuana/hashish (16.6%). [Table 2.1]
- ◆ As shown in Table 2.2, the following characteristics were similar for all racial/ethnic groups:
  - the majority were male;
  - the majority had completed 9 to 12 years of education;
  - the majority were unemployed; and
  - most were between 25 to 44 years of age.

- ◆ Among Asian/Pacific Islanders and Whites, methamphetamine ranked as the most frequently reported primary drug problem, 33.3% and 30.7%, respectively. The largest percent of Black/African Americans reported cocaine/crack (42.7%) as their primary drug problem. The most frequently reported primary drug problems reported by Latinos were methamphetamine (24.5%), marijuana/hashish (20.3%), and alcohol (20.0%). Native Americans were most likely to report alcohol (29.6%) or methamphetamine (26.8%) as their primary drug problem. [Table 2.2]

#### Homeless Participants (Table 2.5)

- ◆ During the 2003-04 Fiscal Year, a total of 10,154 homeless persons participated in alcohol and drug treatment/recovery programs.
- ◆ The majority (64.5%) of homeless participants were male. Most (61.9%) were between 25 and 44 years of age. Over three-fourths (79.0%) reported completing 9 to 12 years of education.
- ◆ Cocaine/crack (28.2%), alcohol (23.8%), methamphetamine (22.5%) or heroin (17.1%) was the most likely primary drug problem reported by homeless participants.
- ◆ Over three-fourths (76.3%) of the admissions for homeless participants were to residential service programs.
- ◆ About one-fourth (23.6%) of the homeless admissions were to non-residential service programs who then referred these participants for such ancillary services as housing, medical, and vocational rehabilitation.

#### Pregnant Women (Table 2.6)

- ◆ A total of 930 pregnant women participated in alcohol and drug treatment/recovery programs during the 2003-04 Fiscal Year.
- ◆ Most of the women were Latino (39.0%), Black/African American (31.0%), or White (26.2%).
- ◆ The majority (62.7%) were between 25 and 44 years of age and most (81.9%) reported completing between 9 and 12 years of education.
- ◆ One-fourth (26.0%) of pregnant participants reported being homeless at the time of admission.
- ◆ Among pregnant participants, methamphetamine (36.5%) was the most frequently reported primary drug problem, followed by cocaine/crack (23.0%).
- ◆ The majority (68.1%) of the admissions for pregnant participants were to non-residential service programs.

#### Youth Under 21 Years of Age (Table 2.7)

- ◆ During the 2003-04 Fiscal Year, a total of 10,204 participants under 21 years of age were admitted to alcohol and drug treatment/recovery programs. There were 6,736 under 18 years of age (younger youth) and 3,468 were between 18 and 20 years of age (older youth).
- ◆ Youth participants were more likely to be male (66.9%), Latino (61.3%), and completed between 9 to 12 years of education (80.5%).
- ◆ Three out of 100 (3.1%) reported they were homeless.
- ◆ The majority (52.5%) of youth reported marijuana/hashish as their primary drug problem.
- ◆ Older youth (26.5%) were more likely than younger youth (11.2%) to report methamphetamine as their primary drug problem.
- ◆ The majority (85.7%) of the admissions for youth participants were to programs that provided non-residential services.
- ◆ Older youth (21.6%) were twice as likely to be admitted to a residential program than younger youth (10.4%).

#### Participants Reporting Needle Use (Table 2.8)

- ◆ During the 2003-04 Fiscal Year, a total of 10,936 (20.3%) participants admitted to alcohol and drug treatment/recovery programs reported using needles to administer drugs.
- ◆ Seven out of 10 (68.5%) needle using participants were male. Most were either Latino (41.1%) or White (40.8%).
- ◆ The majority (54.4%) of participants were between 25 and 44 years of age. Most (80.0%) reported completing between 9 and 12 years of education.
- ◆ Among needle users, unemployment was high (83.4%).
- ◆ One out of 5 (21.3%) needle using participants reported being homeless.
- ◆ Three-fourths (75.2%) reported heroin as their primary drug problem.
- ◆ Most (65.4%) of the participants who reported needle usage were admitted to non-residential services.

### Non-Residential Participants (Table 2.9)

- ◆ During the 2003-04 Fiscal Year, 40,055 participants accounted for 47,444 admissions to non-residential service programs.
- ◆ The majority (66.6%) of participants in non-residential programs were male. Most (79.4%) reported completing 9 to 12 years of education.
- ◆ Latinos (43.6%) comprised the largest percentage of participants. There were about equal percentages of White (26.1%) and Black/African-American (24.3%) participants.
- ◆ Most (47.5%) participants in non-residential programs were between 25 and 44 years of age. It should be noted that 15.5% of participants in non-residential programs were less than 18 years of age.
- ◆ Almost one-fourth (22.9%) of the participants in non-residential programs were employed.
- ◆ Less than 10% (8.7%) reported being homeless.
- ◆ For primary drug problem, there were equal percentages for methamphetamine (20.4%), alcohol (20.3%), and marijuana/hashish (20.2%).

### Residential Participants (Table 2.10)

- ◆ There were 16,841 participants admitted to residential service programs.
- ◆ Most participants in residential programs were White (36.8%), Latino (32.0%), or Black/African-American (25.8%).
- ◆ The majority (59.3%) of the participants were between 25 and 44 years of age. Most (77.9%) reported completing 9 to 12 years of education.
- ◆ Almost half (46.9%) of the participants in residential programs reported being homeless at time of admission.
- ◆ The majority (65.8%) of the admissions were to long-term (> 30 days) residential treatment/recovery services.
- ◆ About one-fourth (27.2%) of the admissions were to residential detoxification services.

**TABLE 2.1 – Program Participants By Gender And Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Male		Female		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Admissions	45,111	100.0	22,700	100.0	67,811	100.0
Participants	35,808	100.0	18,084	100.0	53,892	100.0
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>						
White	9,875	27.6	5,718	31.6	15,593	28.9
Black/African American	8,393	23.4	4,974	27.5	13,367	24.8
Latino	15,272	42.6	6,419	35.5	21,691	40.2
Native American	297	0.8	236	1.3	533	1.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	845	2.4	305	1.7	1,150	2.1
Other	1,126	3.1	432	2.4	1,558	2.9
<u>Age</u>						
Under 18 years	4,407	12.3	2,329	12.9	6,736	12.5
18 – 20	2,421	6.8	1,047	5.8	3,468	6.4
21 – 24	2,987	8.3	1,616	8.9	4,603	8.5
25 – 44	17,446	48.7	9,787	54.1	27,233	50.5
45 – 64	8,269	23.1	3,239	17.9	11,508	21.4
65 – Over	278	0.8	66	0.4	344	0.6
<u>Education</u>						
None	199	0.6	64	0.4	263	0.5
1 – 8 years	2,695	7.5	1,469	8.1	4,164	7.7
9 – 12 years	28,280	79.0	14,182	78.4	42,462	78.8
13 or more years	4,634	12.9	2,369	13.1	7,003	13.0
<u>Employment Status</u>						
Employed	7,641	21.3	1,982	11.0	9,623	17.9
Unemployed	28,167	78.7	16,102	89.0	44,269	82.1
<u>Homeless</u>						
Yes	6,550	18.3	3,604	19.9	10,154	18.8
No	29,258	81.7	14,480	80.1	43,738	81.2
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>						
Alcohol	7,526	21.0	3,846	21.3	11,372	21.1
Cocaine/Crack	7,014	19.6	3,511	19.4	10,525	19.5
Heroin	6,413	17.9	2,747	15.2	9,160	17.0
Marijuana/Hashish	6,615	18.5	2,315	12.8	8,930	16.6
Methamphetamine	6,830	19.1	4,569	25.3	11,399	21.2
Other	1,410	3.9	1,096	6.1	2,506	4.7
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>						
Non-Residential Day Program Intensive	1,312	2.9	2,025	8.9	3,337	4.9
Non-Residential Detoxification	3,903	8.7	1,314	5.8	5,217	7.7
Non-Residential Treatment/Recovery	26,515	58.8	12,375	54.5	38,890	57.4
Residential Detoxification – Non-Hospital	4,069	9.0	1,478	6.5	5,547	8.2
Residential Treatment/Recovery >30 days	8,283	18.4	5,120	22.6	13,403	19.8
Residential Treatment/Recovery <31 days	1,029	2.3	388	1.7	1,417	2.1

2003-04 Fiscal Year

Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.2 – Program Participants By Race/Ethnicity And Key Demographics**

Characteristics	White		Black/African American		Latino		Native American		Asian/Pacific Islander		Other		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Admissions	20,750	100.0	16,478	100.0	26,932	100.0	637	100.0	1,301	100.0	1,713	100.0	67,811	100.0
Participants	15,593	100.0	13,367	100.0	21,691	100.0	533	100.0	1,150	100.0	1,558	100.0	53,892	100.0
<u>Gender</u>														
Male	9,875	63.3	8,393	62.8	15,272	70.4	297	55.7	845	73.5	1,126	72.3	35,808	66.4
Female	5,718	36.7	4,974	37.2	6,419	29.6	236	44.3	305	26.5	432	27.7	18,084	33.6
<u>Age</u>														
Under 18 years	787	5.0	1,125	8.4	4,388	20.2	25	4.7	163	14.2	248	15.9	6,736	12.5
18 – 20	802	5.1	534	4.0	1,868	8.6	20	3.8	116	10.1	128	8.2	3,468	6.4
21 – 24	1,318	8.5	691	5.2	2,254	10.4	46	8.6	158	13.7	136	8.7	4,603	8.5
25 – 44	8,808	56.5	6,550	49.0	10,211	47.1	325	61.0	563	49.0	776	49.8	27,233	50.5
45 – 64	3,772	24.2	4,333	32.4	2,882	13.3	113	21.2	146	12.7	262	16.8	11,508	21.4
65 Over	106	0.7	134	1.0	88	0.4	4	0.8	4	0.3	8	0.5	344	0.6
<u>Education</u>														
None	38	0.2	48	0.4	137	0.6	2	0.4	14	1.2	24	1.5	263	0.5
1 – 8 years	488	3.1	618	4.6	2,828	13.0	37	6.9	88	7.7	105	6.7	4,164	7.7
9 – 12 years	11,899	76.3	10,713	80.1	17,465	80.5	420	78.8	808	70.3	1,157	74.3	42,462	78.8
13 or more years	3,168	20.3	1,988	14.9	1,261	5.8	74	13.9	240	20.9	272	17.5	7,003	13.0
<u>Employment Status</u>														
Employed	3,315	21.3	1,409	10.5	4,257	19.6	65	12.2	235	20.4	342	22.0	9,623	17.9
Unemployed	12,278	78.7	11,958	89.5	17,434	80.4	468	87.8	915	79.6	1,216	78.0	44,269	82.1
<u>Homeless</u>														
Yes	3,539	22.7	3,363	25.2	2,713	12.5	170	31.9	138	12.0	231	14.8	10,154	18.8
No	12,054	77.3	10,004	74.8	18,978	87.5	363	68.1	1,012	88.0	1,327	85.2	43,738	81.2
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>														
Alcohol	3,384	21.7	2,958	22.1	4,337	20.0	158	29.6	258	22.4	277	17.8	11,372	21.1
Cocaine/Crack	1,528	9.8	5,706	42.7	2,827	13.0	61	11.4	160	13.9	243	15.6	10,525	19.5
Heroin	3,385	21.7	1,230	9.2	4,058	18.7	92	17.3	104	9.0	291	18.7	9,160	17.0
Marijuana/Hashish	1,519	9.7	2,479	18.5	4,397	20.3	60	11.3	199	17.3	276	17.7	8,930	16.6
Methamphetamine	4,785	30.7	416	3.1	5,315	24.5	143	26.8	383	33.3	357	22.9	11,399	21.2
Other	992	6.4	578	4.3	757	3.5	19	3.6	46	4.0	114	7.3	2,506	4.7

2003-04 Fiscal Year

Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.3 – Male Program Participants By Race/Ethnicity And Key Demographics**

Characteristics	White		Black/African American		Latino		Native American		Asian/Pacific Islander		Other		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Admissions	13,091	100.0	10,403	100.0	19,090	100.0	348	100.0	952	100.0	1,227	100.0	45,111	100.0
Participants	9,875	100.0	8,393	100.0	15,272	100.0	297	100.0	845	100.0	1,126	100.0	35,808	100.0
<u>Age</u>														
Under 18 years	482	4.9	736	8.8	2,877	18.8	18	6.1	122	14.4	172	15.3	4,407	12.3
18 – 20	527	5.3	343	4.1	1,361	8.9	12	4.0	85	10.1	93	8.3	2,421	6.8
21 – 24	751	7.6	402	4.8	1,604	10.5	24	8.1	116	13.7	90	8.0	2,987	8.3
25 – 44	5,443	55.1	3,763	44.8	7,110	46.6	168	56.6	400	47.3	562	49.9	17,446	48.7
45 – 64	2,594	26.3	3,036	36.2	2,243	14.7	74	24.9	118	14.0	204	18.1	8,269	23.1
65 Over	78	0.8	113	1.3	77	0.5	1	0.3	4	0.5	5	0.4	278	0.8
<u>Education</u>														
None	26	0.3	35	0.4	107	0.7	1	0.3	10	1.2	20	1.8	199	0.6
1 – 8 years	275	2.8	388	4.6	1,882	12.3	17	5.7	55	6.5	78	6.9	2,695	7.5
9 – 12 years	7,564	76.6	6,679	79.6	12,371	81.0	238	80.1	594	70.3	834	74.1	28,280	79.0
13 or more years	2,010	20.4	1,291	15.4	912	6.0	41	13.8	186	22.0	194	17.2	4,634	12.9
<u>Employment Status</u>														
Employed	2,464	25.0	1,016	12.1	3,631	23.8	43	14.5	193	22.8	294	26.1	7,641	21.3
Unemployed	7,411	75.0	7,377	87.9	11,641	76.2	254	85.5	652	77.2	832	73.9	28,167	78.7
<u>Homeless</u>														
Yes	2,332	23.6	2,080	24.8	1,816	11.9	86	29.0	95	11.2	141	12.5	6,550	18.3
No	7,543	76.4	6,313	75.2	13,456	88.1	211	71.0	750	88.8	985	87.5	29,258	81.7
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>														
Alcohol	2,218	22.5	1,739	20.7	3,073	20.1	98	33.0	191	22.6	207	18.4	7,526	21.0
Cocaine/Crack	978	9.9	3,545	42.2	2,157	14.1	36	12.1	125	14.8	173	15.4	7,014	19.6
Heroin	2,175	22.0	849	10.1	3,050	20.0	41	13.8	75	8.9	223	19.8	6,413	17.9
Marijuana/Hashish	1,140	11.5	1,646	19.6	3,416	22.4	38	12.8	159	18.8	216	19.2	6,615	18.5
Methamphetamine	2,839	28.7	276	3.3	3,157	20.7	73	24.6	263	31.1	222	19.7	6,830	19.1
Other	525	5.3	338	4.0	419	2.7	11	3.7	32	3.8	85	7.5	1,410	3.9

2003-04 Fiscal Year  
 Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.4 – Female Program Participants By Race/Ethnicity And Key Demographics**

Characteristics	White		Black/African American		Latino		Native American		Asian/Pacific Islander		Other		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Admissions	7,659	100.0	6,075	100.0	7,842	100.0	289	100.0	349	100.0	486	100.0	22,700	100.0
Participants	5,718	100.0	4,974	100.0	6,419	100.0	236	100.0	305	100.0	432	100.0	18,084	100.0
<u>Age</u>														
Under 18 years	305	5.3	389	7.8	1,511	23.5	7	3.0	41	13.4	76	17.6	2,329	12.9
18 – 20	275	4.8	191	3.8	507	7.9	8	3.4	31	10.2	35	8.1	1,047	5.8
21 – 24	567	9.9	289	5.8	650	10.1	22	9.3	42	13.8	46	10.6	1,616	8.9
25 – 44	3,365	58.8	2,787	56.0	3,101	48.3	157	66.5	163	53.4	214	49.5	9,787	54.1
45 – 64	1,178	20.6	1,297	26.1	639	10.0	39	16.5	28	9.2	58	13.4	3,239	17.9
65 Over	28	0.5	21	0.4	11	0.2	3	1.3	0	0.0	3	0.7	66	0.4
<u>Education</u>														
None	12	0.2	13	0.3	30	0.5	1	0.4	4	1.3	4	0.9	64	0.4
1 – 8 years	213	3.7	230	4.6	946	14.7	20	8.5	33	10.8	27	6.3	1,469	8.1
9 – 12 years	4,335	75.8	4,034	81.1	5,094	79.4	182	77.1	214	70.2	323	74.8	14,182	78.4
13 or more years	1,158	20.3	697	14.0	349	5.4	33	14.0	54	17.7	78	18.1	2,369	13.1
<u>Employment Status</u>														
Employed	851	14.9	393	7.9	626	9.8	22	9.3	42	13.8	48	11.1	1,982	11.0
Unemployed	4,867	85.1	4,581	92.1	5,793	90.2	214	90.7	263	86.2	384	88.9	16,102	89.0
<u>Homeless</u>														
Yes	1,207	21.1	1,283	25.8	897	14.0	84	35.6	43	14.1	90	20.8	3,604	19.9
No	4,511	78.9	3,691	74.2	5,522	86.0	152	64.4	262	85.9	342	79.2	14,480	80.1
<u>Pregnant</u>														
Yes	244	4.3	288	5.8	363	5.7	9	3.8	9	3.0	17	3.9	930	5.1
No	5,474	95.7	4,686	94.2	6,056	94.3	227	96.2	296	97.0	415	96.1	17,154	94.9
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>														
Alcohol	1,166	20.4	1,219	24.5	1,264	19.7	60	25.4	67	22.0	70	16.2	3,846	21.3
Cocaine/Crack	550	9.6	2,161	43.4	670	10.4	25	10.6	35	11.5	70	16.2	3,511	19.4
Heroin	1,210	21.2	381	7.7	1,008	15.7	51	21.6	29	9.5	68	15.7	2,747	15.2
Marijuana/Hashish	379	6.6	833	16.7	981	15.3	22	9.3	40	13.1	60	13.9	2,315	12.8
Methamphetamine	1,946	34.0	140	2.8	2,158	33.6	70	29.7	120	39.3	135	31.3	4,569	25.3
Other	467	8.2	240	4.8	338	5.3	8	3.4	14	4.6	29	6.7	1,096	6.1

2003-04 Fiscal Year

Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.5 – Homeless Participants By Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Number	Percent
Admissions	11,997	100.0
Participants	10,154	100.0
<u>Gender</u>		
Male	6,550	64.5
Female	3,604	35.5
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>		
White	3,539	34.9
Black/African American	3,363	33.1
Latino	2,713	26.7
Native American	170	1.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	138	1.4
Other	231	2.3
<u>Age</u>		
Under 18 years	33	0.3
18 – 20	307	3.0
21 – 24	863	8.5
25 – 44	6,285	61.9
45 – 64	2,632	25.9
65 – Over	34	0.3
<u>Education</u>		
None	43	0.4
1 – 8 years	456	4.5
9 – 12 years	8,019	79.0
13 or more years	1,636	16.1
<u>Employment Status</u>		
Employed	394	3.9
Unemployed	9,760	96.1
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>		
Alcohol	2,420	23.8
Cocaine/Crack	2,863	28.2
Heroin	1,733	17.1
Marijuana/Hashish	524	5.2
Methamphetamine	2,287	22.5
Other	327	3.2
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>		
Non-Residential Day Program Intensive	268	2.2
Non-Residential Detoxification	303	2.5
Non-Residential Treatment/Recovery	2,271	18.9
Residential Detoxification – Non-Hospital	1,920	16.0
Residential Treatment/Recovery >30 days	6,151	51.3
Residential Treatment/Recovery <31 days	1,084	9.0

2003-04 Fiscal Year  
 Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County  
 Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.6 – Pregnant Participants By Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Number	Percent
Admissions	1,020	100.0
Participants	930	100.0
<u>Gender</u>		
Male	0	0.0
Female	930	100.0
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>		
White	244	26.2
Black/African American	288	31.0
Latino	363	39.0
Native American	9	1.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	9	1.0
Other	17	1.8
<u>Age</u>		
Under 18 years	61	6.6
18 – 20	67	7.2
21 – 24	189	20.3
25 – 44	583	62.7
45 – 64	30	3.2
65 – Over	0	0.0
<u>Education</u>		
None	2	0.2
1 – 8 years	62	6.7
9 – 12 years	762	81.9
13 or more years	104	11.2
<u>Employment Status</u>		
Employed	73	7.8
Unemployed	857	92.2
<u>Homeless</u>		
Yes	242	26.0
No	688	74.0
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>		
Alcohol	135	14.5
Cocaine/Crack	214	23.0
Heroin	82	8.8
Marijuana/Hashish	124	13.3
Methamphetamine	339	36.5
Other	36	3.9
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>		
Non-Residential Day Program Intensive	229	22.5
Non-Residential Detoxification	5	0.5
Non-Residential Treatment/Recovery	460	45.1
Residential Detoxification – Non-Hospital	24	2.4
Residential Treatment/Recovery >30 days	299	29.3
Residential Treatment/Recovery <31 days	3	0.3

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Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.7 – Participants Under 21 Years Of Age By Age Category  
And Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Under 18 Years		18 – 20 Years		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Admissions	7,434	100.0	3,999	100.0	11,433	100.0
Participants	6,736	100.0	3,468	100.0	10,204	100.0
<u>Gender</u>						
Male	4,407	65.4	2,421	69.8	6,828	66.9
Female	2,329	34.6	1,047	30.2	3,376	33.1
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>						
White	787	11.7	802	23.1	1,589	15.6
Black/African American	1,125	16.7	534	15.4	1,659	16.3
Latino	4,388	65.1	1,868	53.9	6,256	61.3
Native American	25	0.4	20	0.6	45	0.4
Asian/Pacific Islander	163	2.4	116	3.3	279	2.7
Other	248	3.7	128	3.7	376	3.7
<u>Education</u>						
None	18	0.3	12	0.3	30	0.3
1 – 8 years	1,750	26.0	130	3.7	1,880	18.4
9 – 12 years	4,960	73.6	3,252	93.8	8,212	80.5
13 or more years	8	0.1	74	2.1	82	0.8
<u>Employment Status</u>						
Employed	345	5.1	552	15.9	897	8.8
Unemployed	6,391	94.9	2,916	84.1	9,307	91.2
<u>Homeless</u>						
Yes	30	0.4	288	8.3	318	3.1
No	6,706	99.6	3,180	91.7	9,886	96.9
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>						
Alcohol	1,699	25.2	665	19.2	2,364	23.2
Cocaine/Crack	146	2.2	232	6.7	378	3.7
Heroin	14	0.2	109	3.1	123	1.2
Marijuana/Hashish	3,947	58.6	1,411	40.7	5,358	52.5
Methamphetamine	757	11.2	918	26.5	1,675	16.4
Other	173	2.6	133	3.8	306	3.0
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>						
Non-Residential Day Program Intensive	1,071	14.4	368	9.2	1,439	12.6
Non-Residential Detoxification	1	0.0	25	0.6	26	0.2
Non-Residential Treatment/Recovery	5,588	75.2	2,746	68.7	8,334	72.9
Residential Detoxification – Non-Hospital	7	0.1	107	2.7	114	1.0
Residential Treatment/Recovery >30 days	750	10.1	710	17.8	1,460	12.8
Residential Treatment/Recovery <31 days	17	0.2	43	1.1	60	0.5

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Source: ADPA Contracted Treatment/Recovery Programs – Los Angeles County Participant Reporting System

**TABLE 2.8 – Participants Who Reported Needle Use  
By Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Number	Percent
Admissions	16,042	100.0
Participants	10,936	100.0
<u>Gender</u>		
Male	7,487	68.5
Female	3,449	31.5
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>		
White	4,464	40.8
Black/African American	1,424	13.0
Latino	4,491	41.1
Native American	147	1.3
Asian/Pacific Islander	125	1.1
Other	285	2.6
<u>Age</u>		
Under 18 years	77	0.7
18 – 20	180	1.6
21 – 24	580	5.3
25 – 44	5,948	54.4
45 – 64	4,029	36.8
65 – Over	122	1.1
<u>Education</u>		
None	40	0.4
1 – 8 years	591	5.4
9 – 12 years	8,746	80.0
13 or more years	1,559	14.3
<u>Employment Status</u>		
Employed	1,811	16.6
Unemployed	9,125	83.4
<u>Homeless</u>		
Yes	2,328	21.3
No	8,608	78.7
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>		
Alcohol	408	3.7
Cocaine/Crack	497	4.5
Heroin	8,225	75.2
Marijuana/Hashish	120	1.1
Methamphetamine	1,454	13.3
Other	232	2.1
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>		
Non-Residential Day Program Intensive	191	1.2
Non-Residential Detoxification	4,525	28.2
Non-Residential Treatment/Recovery	5,769	36.0
Residential Detoxification – Non-Hospital	2,924	18.2
Residential Treatment/Recovery >30 days	2,326	14.5
Residential Treatment/Recovery <31 days	307	1.9

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**TABLE 2.9 – Non-Residential Participants By Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Number	Percent
Admissions	47,444	100.0
Participants	40,055	100.0
<u>Gender</u>		
Male	26,674	66.6
Female	13,381	33.4
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>		
White	10,446	26.1
Black/African American	9,738	24.3
Latino	17,450	43.6
Native American	332	0.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	891	2.2
Other	1,198	3.0
<u>Age</u>		
Under 18 years	6,204	15.5
18 – 20	2,850	7.1
21 – 24	3,326	8.3
25 – 44	19,012	47.5
45 – 64	8,377	20.9
65 – Over	286	0.7
<u>Education</u>		
None	227	0.6
1 – 8 years	3,446	8.6
9 – 12 years	31,789	79.4
13 or more years	4,593	11.5
<u>Employment Status</u>		
Employed	9,162	22.9
Unemployed	30,893	77.1
<u>Homeless</u>		
Yes	3,497	8.7
No	36,558	91.3
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>		
Alcohol	8,122	20.3
Cocaine/Crack	7,145	17.8
Heroin	6,797	17.0
Marijuana/Hashish	8,084	20.2
Methamphetamine	8,162	20.4
Other	1,745	4.4
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>		
Non-Residential Day Program Intensive	3,337	7.0
Non-Residential Detoxification	5,217	11.0
Non-Residential Treatment/Recovery	38,890	82.0

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**TABLE 2.10 – Residential Participants By Key Demographics**

Characteristics	Number	Percent
Admissions	20,367	100.0
Participants	16,841	100.0
<u>Gender</u>		
Male	11,089	65.8
Female	5,752	34.2
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>		
White	6,204	36.8
Black/African American	4,341	25.8
Latino	5,394	32.0
Native American	222	1.3
Asian/Pacific Islander	291	1.7
Other	389	2.3
<u>Age</u>		
Under 18 years	671	4.0
18 – 20	734	4.4
21 – 24	1,535	9.1
25 – 44	9,992	59.3
45 – 64	3,843	22.8
65 – Over	66	0.4
<u>Education</u>		
None	45	0.3
1 – 8 years	862	5.1
9 – 12 years	13,125	77.9
13 or more years	2,809	16.7
<u>Employment Status</u>		
Employed	798	4.7
Unemployed	16,043	95.3
<u>Homeless</u>		
Yes	7,896	46.9
No	8,945	53.1
<u>Primary Drug Problem</u>		
Alcohol	3,600	21.4
Cocaine/Crack	4,089	24.3
Heroin	3,174	18.8
Marijuana/Hashish	1,034	6.1
Methamphetamine	4,011	23.8
Other	933	5.5
<u>Admissions by Type of Service</u>		
Residential Detoxification – Non-Hospital	5,547	27.2
Residential Treatment/Recovery >30 days	13,403	65.8
Residential Treatment/Recovery <31 days	1,417	7.0

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